

Curriculum overview

Early Years Foundation Stage⁺ (2 – 5 years): The EYFS⁺ Curriculum is designed for students with a vision and multi-sensory impairment. It incorporates the EYFS Curriculum as well as specialist curricular, for example the Curriculum Framework for Vision Impairment (CFVI). Within the EYFS⁺ Curriculum, we use the seven areas of learning to deliver a broad and balanced educational offer.

Prime areas: Communication and Language / Physical Development / Physical Development / Personal, Social and Emotional Development.

Specific areas: Literacy / Mathematics / Understanding the World / Expressive Arts and Design.

Pre-Formal⁺ Curriculum

For students with vision impairment and sensory impairment who need a sensory based curriculum.

- My Communication
- My Cognition
- My Body
- My Creativity
- My Care and Independence
- Me and My Community

Semi-Formal⁺ Curriculum

For students with vision impairment and sensory impairment who need a life-skills based curriculum.

- My Communication
- My Thinking
- My Body
- My Creativity
- Myself
- Me and My Community

Formal⁺ Curriculum

For students with vision and sensory impairment who need an accessible modified National Curriculum.

- English - Maths - Science
- Humanities - Computing
- Physical Education - Food Tech
- PSHCE
- Creative Arts
- Careers

Alba⁺ Curriculum

The Alba⁺ Curriculum is for our students who are multi-sensory impaired (deafblind). The curriculum is divided into eight domains of learning:

1. Communication
2. Social and emotional development
3. Conceptual development
4. Sensory resources
5. Understanding time and place
6. Orientation, movement and mobility
7. Ownership of learning
8. Responses to routines and changes

Sixth Form⁺ Curriculum

Pre-Formal⁺

For students with vision and sensory impairment who need a sensory based curriculum.

Semi-Formal⁺

For students with vision and sensory impairment who need a life-skills based curriculum.

Formal⁺

For students with vision and sensory impairment who need an accessible modified National Curriculum.

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